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WASHINGTON.

... Discusses Beck's Sinking Fund Resolution.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT CALLED UP

... Congressmen to Amend the ... Act—George Introduces a Large Number of Bills and Resolutions.

Germany's High-Handed Action.

... Dec. 12.—Frank H. Mason, United States consul at Basle, Switzerland, asserts and supports by proof, that not only does the ... of Germany prohibit the importation of ... products for sale and consumption ... but forbids the transit of American ... through its territory to other ... in sealed cars. The real object of ... sanitary regulations is not to guard ... of German from danger from the ... of diseased meats but to protect ... in hog products from American ... European statesman shrink from the ... follow a measure to tax the food ... invent the theory that American ... diseased and dangerous and impose a ... in the form of an edict of absolute ... on sanitary grounds. The ... hereby are made to ... twenty centimes more per ... meat they eat than if ... permitted to enter Germany ... this discreet mandate which robs ... an edict devised by a paternal ... which is anxiously solicitous about ... Mason says: In Switzerland, almost ... country where American meats ... imported and sold on their merits ... reputation, not only are they higher ... before, but command a preference in ...

... Old Stamps for New.

... Dec. 12.—The postmaster general has ... to exchange for the public as ... three and six cent denomination ... stamps and stamped envelopes for ... denominations. Stamped envelopes ... will be exchanged at full current rates ... bearing printed cards and ... also stamped en...

of the Coquille river, asking a forfeiture of the land grant to the Oregon Central railway; asking aid for repairs of the military road from Jacksonville to Fort Klamath; asking aid to build a railroad from Crescent City to The Dalles; asking pay and pensions for Oregon volunteers who served in the Rogue river war; asking for the payment of a balance on the territory of Oregon expended in the Rogue river war and for a grant of lands to soldiers of that and succeeding Indian wars; a memorial from the Astoria chamber of commerce asking for forfeiture of the Oregon Central railroad land grant; a petition from citizens of Oregon asking an appropriation for the improvement of Coquille river, and from citizens of Oregon asking for improvement of the Umpqua river. George also introduced a score of private bills.

TOWNSEND'S JOINT RESOLUTION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The following is the text of the joint resolution introduced by Representative Townsend in regard to the action of Germany concerning the American hog product:

WHEREAS, The government of the German empire has seen fit to prohibit the importation of American hog products upon the unproven assumption that they are deleterious to public health, and

WHEREAS, Said government of the German empire declines an invitation to send its own experts to this country for the purpose of examining the quality and means of marketing said products, and

WHEREAS, It appears from the proceedings of said government that the same has or claims to have full authority to prohibit the importation of any foreign goods believed to be injurious to health without the assent of the reichstag; therefore be it

Resolved, By the senate and house of representatives that the president be and is hereby authorized during this session of congress to prohibit the importation of any goods which, upon the advice of experts shall be held to be injurious to health from those countries which upon the same ground prohibit the importation of American products.

CONVERSE'S WOOL TARIFF BILL.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Representative Converse, who introduced a bill yesterday to provide for restoration of the old rates of duty on imported wool, will endeavor to get the bill through the house without waiting for the report of the committee on ways and means or having it discussed by committee of the whole. He intends to seek recognition by the speaker the first day under suspension of the rules. In order to suspend the rules and put the bill through he thinks he will get the requisite two-thirds vote. Converse expects in taking his course to have the proposition voted on its merits and prevent its being handicapped by other tariff amendments, as probably would be the case should

GENERAL NEWS.

Villard Shares, Assailed by the Bears, Suffer Another Decline

AMERICAN MECHANICS EMIGRATE TO ENGLAND

Barkey Confident of the Success of his Telegraph Scheme—Silken Robes for ... Judges—News Notes.

What the Mormons Propose.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The *Daily News* will publish a Salt Lake, Utah, special containing an interview with a leading citizen. He says the Mormons regard the interference to polygamy in the press only as a menace to their political power and their theocratic control of the territory. Their interests are too great for them to emigrate that they recognize the fact that the people of the United States wrongly regard polygamy as the only legal objection to Mormonism, whereas the fact is polygamy is simply an issue, for the real trouble being the Mormon priesthood and its assumption of divine right to rule that they recognize the fact that their whole system is jeopardized if they retain polygamy, whereas with that feature abolished they are likely to have an indefinite lease of life to the Mormon theocracy. The present legislature though made up of monogamous Mormons is thoroughly the creature of the church. It is probable, therefore, that while the church will keep up a sham opposition it will instruct the legislature to pass a law making polygamy a crime and the territory thus purged of the only wrong known to the general public will apply for admission as a state with good prospects for getting in, giving the polygamists proportionally increased power.

Effect of the New Tea Laws.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Special.—Speaking of the recent decision of customs authorities to exclude impure teas, and new and avid ... on the subject, a leading importer said: The effect of the enforcement of the law has really been felt by exporters in China. In 1881 there was exported from that country 14,785,000 pounds of green teas, as usually adulterated. In 1882 the export fell off to 11,2..,000 and in 1883, under the influence of the act of March 2 it has been still further reduced, and will aggregate only about 8,6..,000 pounds. It is estimated by those who know at Shanghai as well as in this city that

IN WALL STREET.

The Bears Control the Market in the Forenoon but are Routed Before Night.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Governments strong. Railways steady. News and developments in connection with the stock market this forenoon were all bearish. The result was a further general decline of ¼ to 1½. An advance in prices of from about ½ a ... continued until the close of business. As compared with last night closing prices are ¼ to 1¾ per cent higher, except Missouri Pacific, Northern Pacific preferred and Wabash which are ¼ to ½ lower.

The governing committee of the stock exchange to-day listed the following securities: $4,718,000 of Erie second mortgage bonds, extended to March 1, 1891, at 4½ per cent; $2,782,000 of the general mortgage 6 per cent bonds of the Northern Pacific; $5,000,000 6 per cent convertible debenture bonds Central railway of New Jersey; $ ...,000 first mortgaged per cent bonds of the Southern Pacific railway Company New Mexico; $10,000,000 of the Milwaukee and St. Paul and the Chicago and ... west division, 5 per cent bonds; $1,590,000 ... and ... 7 per cent bonds; $1,000,000 ... second mortgage bonds of the Louisville and Nashville, New Orleans and Mobile division; $... of the Chicago and Northwestern sinking fund ... 1879 and $132,000 of the Denver and Rio Grande 6 per cent first consolidated mortgage bonds.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The money market was easy, at 2@2½; closed offered at 2. Prime mercantile paper 6@5½. Sterling exchange bankers' bills, weak at $4.81; sterling exchange demand $4.84.

Bonds—3s 1.01; 4½s 1.14; 4s 1.23.

Stocks—American Express 93½; Canada Southern 55½; Central Pacific 65; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy 21; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western 11..; Denver and Rio Grande 24½; Hannibal and St. Joe 35½; Kansas and Texas, 23½; Lake Shore 100; Louisville and Nashville, 48½; ... Central 10..; New Jersey Central 84½; Northern Pacific 26; Northwestern, 16..; Ohio & Mississippi ..., Reading 54½; Rock Island 18..; St. Paul ...; Texas Pacific, 21½; Union Pacific 0..; United States Express 67; Wabash Pacific 20½; Pacific Mail 17½; Erie, 2..; New York Central 1..½; Pacific Mail, 4..½; Panama ...; Wells Fargo 115; Western Union 7..½.

WALL STREET NOTES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—J. H. Billings & Co., cotton merchants, are reported suspended. Liabilities $400,000 on ... half secured.

The executive committee of the directors of the Oregon ... transcontinental have recommended that the January dividend be passed.

CHICAGO THE LUCKY CITY.

She Secures the Next Republican National Convention

WHICH WILL BE HELD ON JUNE 3, 1884.

Southern Members Protest Against the Proposed New Basis of Representation and the Matter is Referred.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The national republican committee has ... elected Senator Sabin chairman and fixed June 3 as the date for holding the convention. Sabin on taking the chair, said: "While deeply sensible of the distinguished courtesy you have conferred I ... this as much as I prized as the country's large ... will be all the more unanimous of your choice. But ... ing pressed by all parties and in the interest ... party and harmony I ... accept the position ... trust ... work of this committee will be characterized with the same unanimity with which I have been ... and that at the next election a republican president will be chosen with ... same unanimous vote of the country. (Applause.)

Hayes of ... then submitted a proposition for a new basis of representation at the next convention ... over for ... present.

On motion ... a resolution was adopted providing that the chairman appoint three members of the committee who, together with the chairman and the secretary shall ... appoint a committee to make arrangements for holding the convention.

CHICAGO THE LUCKY TOWN.

Senator Cullom of Illinois claimed that Chicago was the best convention city in the United States, set forth the advantages of that city in the way of hotel, railroad and telegraphic facilities. It was well known what party's first ... ought to be in the next election. The republican party was going to join issue with the democratic party on one of the great financial questions. Its adversaries were at ... ing ... this great ... west and ... to the fight here and it was in the interest of the party that the convention be held at Chicago. The republicans of Illinois expected to be in line with the great party and expected that the next republican nominee for president would be elected triumphantly.

... for ... of New York said ... of New York ... was ... by the great state of New York

SEVERE STORM

Great Britain Swept by Severe Gales that Caused Much Damage.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Violent gales throughout England last evening did much damage in London and ... provinces.

Huge trees were torn up and carried away. Lowlying lattices near Birmingham were flooded. A portion of the roof of a church at Derby was ... The congregation at a church here was also ... injured. A parish church at Rotherham was ... Chimney shafts were brought down at Manchester, Leeds, etc. A large gas holder ... at Bradford, capsized, and chimneys wrecked ... widespread ... The Leeds ... carriage works were destroyed. At Birkenhead great damage was done. The ... of a ... just ... from Glasgow was lifted. At Portsmouth ... were overturned and many buildings damaged. At Lincoln the tower of the cathedral was taken down ... in ... her moorings in Belfast ... At South Shields vessels ... were wrecked ... wherries were sunk. The ... ship ... from Liverpool from Quebec ... with a ... wrecked near ... Scotland. Only a man and ... were saved of the crew. Two persons were killed at Hull and several injured. A portion of Portsmouth is flooded. At Hirtle ... many ships were damaged. At ... two persons were killed ... Three were killed at Manchester. At ... three were killed. At Chester a man was blown down in the street and killed. Two persons were killed at Liverpool. A portion of the roof of St. Mary's church at Berwick was destroyed. Several houses in ... suburbs of Nottingham were blown down. A postal telegraph ... was cut ... At Bradford ... ... and a portion of the depot ... Midland railway, were blown ... Several ... were wrecked in the Mersey. Two vessels were wrecked at Dunse, Scotland, and two ... were drowned. The ... lands in west ... the Yarrow district are flooded. At Glasgow the damage to property is very great.

SPAIN

THE ROYAL ADDRESS TO THE CORTES.

MADRID, Dec. 12.—The ministerial council has approved the draft of the royal speech to be ... at the opening of the cortes. It is reported that the speech announces the extension of suffrage to all able to read and write, and all who pay taxes. The dispute with France relative to the treatment of Alfonso in Paris has been satisfactorily arranged, and

PACIFIC COAST.

Claus Spreckels Purchases the Hawaiian Sugar Crop.

ARRIVAL OF GEN. HANCOCK AT SAN FRANCISCO

John W. Hume Elected Mayor of Astoria—Work on the California and Oregon Road—San Francisco News.

CALIFORNIA.

General Hancock in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—General Hancock arrived this evening. He was met at the ferry landing by Governor Stoneman and different delegations representing the municipality and citizens of San Francisco, and the democratic state central committee, who accompanied him to the Palace hotel. When he reached there he was tendered quite an ovation by the immense crowd who had assembled to get a glimpse of the famous general. On alighting from his carriage the general was received with tremendous cheering, when he was conducted to the reception room and from there to his apartments in the hotel. The general acknowledged, in a few words, the complimentary reception that had been tendered him and at the same time expressed fatigue from his long journey. The democratic state central committee will hold another meeting to-morrow afternoon, when, if General Hancock signifies his willingness to accept a public reception, arrangements will be at once made. Mrs. Hancock accompanies him.

The Railroad Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—[Special.]—The railroad disagreement has assumed a still more serious aspect, as the example of the Chicago and Alton has been emulated by other roads east of the Missouri river. A new complication has arisen, in that the original objection to cutting of rates has extended to the suppression of street commissions. Of course any such measures as the latter would be unpopular with agents as it cuts them off from paying perquisites to retainers whose business it is to bring passengers to whatever road makes the largest cut and pays the highest commission. As an agent said to-day to THE OREGONIAN correspondent, the end is not yet but there is likely to be quite an interesting fight. Some important developments are expected to be made be-

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and removed to clinical observation, has recently published two articles on this subject, which are of general interest. In the first article on "inward cleanliness" the free use of water, as a detergent to cleanse the mucous surfaces of the alimentary canal and the various important organs connected with it, is strongly recommended, on the theory that the stomach and intestinal canal need cleaning as well as the muscular covering of the face and hands. The view which this writer, in common with many educated people here adopted regarding inward cleanliness, is similar to the belief which formerly prevailed among the uneducated classes, that the human stomach became "clogged" and impeded in its functions by accumulations of offending matters—"old rowen" as it was frequently called—which must be removed by large doses of physic. The spring of the year was the time when "old rowen" became most troublesome and bitters and pills were then freely used to remove the supposed gastric accumulations of the winter months. What was regarded as a vulgar conceit, the offspring of ignorance, is now extensively adopted among the educated, though with a very different view of the extent of the evil and the remedy.

Under some conditions of the digestive organs, this writer says, that no agent can prove safer or more salutary than the free use of water. "Those who have morbid conditions of the stomach and bowels, which do not so far impair the general vigor as to prevent attention being given to the ordinary duties of life can use large draughts of water, especially in the morning, with manifest advantage. Chronic constipation is thereby removed; the normal peristaltic motions of the bowels are restored, and the secretions may be vastly improved." The salutary influence of water-drinking among those who resort to the so-called mineral springs, with which the country abounds, which has been supposed to be due to the salts in the water, is now ascribed chiefly to the cleansing of the inferior surfaces for which purpose it is only necessary that the water should be pure. Observing medical men now look upon the salts with distrust, or at least as of only secondary importance as curative agents. One of the most popular waters now in use in the United States is that known as the Poland Spring water, which is found near Portland, Maine, and is distinguished only for its purity. In itself this water contains no medicinal properties whatever, and the same results would be obtained by invalids if the waters, which are distributed in our cities, were used under the same conditions and with the exercise of the same faith as the Maine spring. Ordinary springs, such as are found in every farmer's pasture, are curative springs if the waters are used freely by those who suffer from certain gastric or renal difficulties."

The temperature of water has much to do with its influence upon the system when drunk in considerable quantities. "Many feeble persons cannot take a tumbler-ful of water at the temperature of 50 deg F without serious suffering," and hence it is important that the temperature of most of our common spring waters, as they flow from orifices in the ground or through rocks, should be raised by artificial heat before they are freely used. This fact has led to the use of hot water by a large number of invalids, semi-invalids and those in fair health. The employment of hot water for internal use originated in this country, and so eminent a medical authority as the London *Lancet* speaks of it as a "valuable American contribution to medicine." Dr. Salisbury of Cleveland claims to have been the first to suggest its use, and its beneficial employment in those diseases arising from unhealthy alimentation is now pretty well established. "In these affections, the stomach and bowels become distended and obstructed by the abnormal acetic, butyric hydrosulphuric, lactic and saccharine solid fermentations; and the idea is to wash away those offending matters, and thus aid in introducing normal functional action." Cold water is inadmissible as already stated, in many cases, because it is apt to produce distress in sensitive stomachs.

But the water must not be lukewarm it must be hot. While tepid water, if taken in considerable quantities, will sometimes produce vomiting; water of a temperature above 100 degrees will produce a downward movement of the bowels. It affords the same relief to persons of weak stomachs as hot and fresh tea, when used so warm, that it can only be sipped slowly, and not poured into the stomach as a draught. As regards quantity, no fixed rule is suggested. Perhaps half a pint, a common tumbler full may be regarded as a maximum, and a pint and a half as a maximum quantity to be taken at one time. "The object being mainly to wash out the alimentary canal, carrying down the slime, yeast and bile through normal channels, a few ounces can have but little effect in accomplishing such results. It is assumed that the liver and kidneys are greatly influenced by the hot water treatment, and that they are washed as well as the intestinal canal, the bile being eliminated through the bowels, and not through the blood via the kidneys." The most important time for using it is an hour before breakfast, though it may be used before meals, or in some instances half an hour before retiring to bed. "The digestive apparatus of the weak and morbid needs cleansing after a night of rest—or sunset, as in the case of invalids. A half or whole pint of hot water taken upon getting out of bed in the morning will in most instances soon break up morbid conditions of the bowels, and natural peristaltic motions will be established even in obstinate cases." Its use may be continued so long as it is found to give relief and so long as it contributes to the establishment of inward cleanliness and consequent robust health.

In its action upon the system water, when taken in large quantities, solids in a degree the same office as floods in brooks and rivers. They detach and carry away from the bed of rivers accumulations of vegetable and animal matters which impair the character of the waters, and obstruct their flow. In like manner the organs of digestion and assimilation may be beneficially washed, and morbid secretions and feculent matter removed. It is a medicinal agent, which comes to us without cost from the laboratory of nature, where it is distilled for the use of men and other animals, and its free use in the morning, aside as well as outside, both hot and cold, is a remedy of great value to defective organizations and a preventative of some serious diseases. It is possible that the reports which have been circulated concerning the impurity of the water supplied to this city may keep many persons from using it in sufficient quantities to promote inward cleanliness." We have the authority of one of the best physicians of the city for saying that this water may be safely and freely drank. Those who have defective organizations need "fewer drugs, plenty of pure water, pure air, and suitable, properly cooked food."

Matthew Arnold is a little worried about rest. He thinks that we don't pay enough attention to eating. If Mr. Arnold would abandon his present profitable job of reading magazine articles from a lecture platform and try his hand at conducting a boarding house, it would only be a question of time, until he modified his views about the American appetite.

A New York financial paper, *Thompson's Bankinate Reporter* says "A paper called *The Long Pull, Wait* has been started in Oregon. It must be supplied by those who starts it."

At examination of the vote cast for Mr. Carlisle for speaker shows how groundless is the charge that his election was the work of the solid south, and therefore calls for a revival of the sectional feeling in the north. Only 60 per cent. of his support came from the south. The states of Michigan and Wisconsin gave all their votes to him, and he also received every vote but one from Illinois, two-thirds of the votes of Iowa, one-third of the vote of Massachusetts, one-third of the vote of California, five-ninths of the vote of Indiana, eleven thirteenths of the vote of the great state of Missouri, and the only vote which Nevada had to give. It should also be remembered that of the thirty-two votes received by Mr. Cox, it is certain that at least nineteen were cast as a compliment to the distinguished New Yorker, and were cast by men who, as between Randall and Carlisle, would have voted for the latter, because he and they are revenue reformers. Of these nineteen, two are from California, two from Massachusetts, one from Illinois, five from New York, one from Iowa, one from North Carolina, two from Missouri, two from Ohio and three from Indiana. On the other hand fully 20 per cent. of Mr. Randall's votes were from the south, and in the canvass the New Orleans *Times-Democrat* and *Picayune*, the Memphis *Avalanche*, Nashville *American*, Atlanta *Constitution*, Mobile *Register* Birmingham *Age*, Nashville *Banner*, Chattanooga *Times*, Augusta *Chronicle*, Macon *Telegraph*, Richmond *Dispatch* and Houston *Post* supported him. Thus he enjoys considerably more than half the daily circulation of the south.

There is something sad in the news that Vanderbilt (Paul), in wrath over his son Willie's losses in Wall street, has cut down the poor youth's allowance to $100,000 a year. It seems almost incredible that wealth could so fossilize a paternal heart. But the father may yet relent. In moments of gayety (pride and splendor he will think how the biting tooth of poverty is gnawing at his son's heart. He will think of the privations to which an income of only $100,000 a year will leave his offspring exposed. His may relent. It is to be hoped that he will. But if he should not, how sad will be the remaining years of his wretched son's existence. Brought up without the care the education or the training to enable him to become a reporter on *John Skinton's Paper*, or secure any other situation which would pay him a salary commensurate with his ability to spend money and compelled to get along on $100,000 a year. Horrible thought. It is enough to make all sensible persons refuse to raise high fathers.

One of the most important issues for congress to consider is the currency question and the report of the committee is one which should receive the studious consideration of every one who is directly interested. One proposition is so patently correct and comprehensive that we quote it entire: "a proper limit to the sum of the circulating notes of each bank, and adequate security for the amount to be issued, do more to prevent the organization of fraudulent institutions, in such a broad territory as our own, than any petty provision however stringent." Those who are old enough to remember the "wild cat" banks of the west and south will accept this statement as indisputably true; and those who suffered from the green-back currency will yield to it a ready assent. The great danger to the nation now lies in the surplus revenue, the silver coinage and the dangerous position of the national banks.

The dinners for the members of the Boston city council for ten months cost $34,000 an average of $400 per man and some old-fashioned folks think this too large a sum to pay for the eating of the city legislature, hearty and democratic as it is. The proprietor of Young's hotel have declined to furnish further refreshments because of the disinclination of the city government to pay for what its members have enjoyed. Boston seems likely to rebel against this particular phase of democracy, not only because of what it is, but also on account of the loudness of economy and theory of responsibility it indicates. As the reaction from the Puritanism of Cromwell's rule reached in the reign of Charles II. the most wanton excess, so the democrats of Boston are able to show their repugnance to brown bread and baked beans, only by extravagances in wines, whisky and the choicest Havanas.

Internal wise eastern paper says that it costs about 8 per cent. to collect customs, and about 3½ per cent. to collect the whisky and tobacco tax, therefore the whisky and tobacco tax should not be collected. The wise journal has no moral scruples about the collection of a tax upon whisky and tobacco, but argues that inasmuch as it costs the nation less to collect its revenue through the medium of customs officers, all the revenue should be collected in that way. It does not seem to have occurred to the wise eastern journal that if the collection of a tax were to cost 50 or even 75 per cent. of the whole tax, it might pay to collect it.

A fresh example is not needed to prove the mobility is not always noble; but the last mobile of interest that the new Orange leader, Lord Rosmore, is scarcely more than the "dummy" of a horse jockey. He has great estates in Monaghan and Fermanagh, but they are all heavily mortgaged that he receives but a small income from them. They are virtually owned by Willie Russell, a horse jockey well known in the north of Ireland and in England sporting circles. He keeps a large stable and enters the horses in Lord Rossmore's name. Russell makes well by this system, and can afford to pay the really amiable old nobleman a fat stipend.

The following item appeared in the telegraph columns of the London *Times* of a recent date: "In Massachusetts a heavy vote was polled. Mr. George D. Robinson, republican, has probably 15,000 majority over General Butler, the present governor of Pennsylvania. The democrats also elect the majority of the legislature for Virginia, thus securing the return of one of their party as United States senator in the place of Mr. Mason." This gives the English readers about as lucid a view of American affairs as we get of European matters in some of the dispatches from the other side.

The New York *Journal of Commerce* says there is nothing in the story that the trade dollars are in the hands of suffering people, who took them at par on the faith that a dollar is a dollar. It says they are all held by speculators, who bought them up at eighty-five cents on the dollar, and are now waiting for the profit it will come if the government

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PORTLAND, Dec 12 7.57 P. M.

	Change in 24 Hours	Ther	Wind Direction	Rain fall inches	State of weather
	...	40	Calm	00	Clear
	...	44	Calm	00	Clear
	...	40	...	00	Clear
	...	53	Calm	00	Foggy
	...	36	NE	00	Foggy
	...	43	NE	00	Clear
	...	45	W	00	Fair

..., minimum ther 30 d

AUCTION SALE TO-DAY.

... unclaimed goods ... First street.

CITY.

... STREET DIRECTION—The vile con... last it cited the board of ... in the matter of endeavoring to ... Yesterday afternoon a committee of trade consisting of Messrs. ... Arnold and ... Northrup ... Robin Adair and Gerdes ... on streets to consult with them ... matter. This alter ... of the dreadful condition of Front ... and Fourth streets from Harrison ... and an endeavor made to induce ... of the fact that something should be ... these streets in such a condition ... commerce, ... in their present ... truck and of goods could not ... through the commercial portion of the ... from the beginning of trade ... teams with ... men and horses could ... condition ... and is mentioned a large portion of the tax ... who would rather pay a reasonable ... for the purchase of horses and ... of men than to have this ... present ... expenditure ... opinion ... expenditure ... streets ... The matter of the probable ... wealth of ... city by the ... streets was also set forth ... These gentlemen expressed their ... and their power to bring about ... the board of trade.

... CLEANING—At last night's council ... in Gerdes introduced a resolution ... chief of police to detail over ... to patrol duty except two men ... Policeman ... who was ... interests of the Humane Society ... that several ... habit of hanging around headquarters ... be stopped. The city pays $ ... to guard person and property ... required to protect ... There was full discussion of the ... the opinion prevailing that the ... should be embodied in ... police rules and the resolution was ... Several members expressed ... Watkinds ought to be able to ... if he was on the moral back ... endorsement he was welcome.

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... "Front Ribs"—Time works changes ... has at last brought about a ... in price of short ribs. Probably ... slaughter house or an anatomical ... what short ribs are but ... numerous, though ... quoted on the ... as merchants exchange. Yesterday ... declining in price. The ... merchants who ... sticed the fall ... calculated to ... the idea to ... commerce of ... had received ... Men who had noted Transco ... without a native fairly turned ... that short ribs had gone down. It ... their disappearance from Chicago ... up and restore the equilibrium.

... —John C... a carpenter in ... & N Company was severely ... foreman ... the bone ... He was engaged in repairing the ... timber ... Collins was ... woodwork ... The engines were then ... being ... down and ... the beam which ... his thigh and was ... ribs. It is not supposed that his wounds ...

... PREPARED—The sheriff's jury in ... case consisting of ... Sloan, Julius Heubner, Chas. ... Kennedy met yesterday and the testimony ... was gone over again ... The lawyers spent several hours ... after which the jury retired ... resulted in a verdict awarding to ... silver wedding presents ... and a sewing machine which he brought ... of which were the property of ... and a sewing machine which ... other goods ... and ... therefore the sheriff should retain ... before attended.

... BE ALLOWED? A petition signed ... firms ask of the council ... privilege of exploding fire... A M ... and 8 P M ... commence Jan. 21 ... was placed on the Council ... as Clerk Carry ... that such permission would ... should the council ... curious to note how the Chinese ... indulging of ... considered ... holiday. ... their white neighbors will cer... this innovation.

... Another instance of hasty ... which is all too common in the city ... to the surface last night. Several ... we ... granted to two water ... a provision was made for ... faith by ... lighting works ... amendments to the ordinances were ... they came up for action ... written ... of the franchises ... passed. Whether ... council can go ... restrictions after a franchise has ... may have to be decided by the ...

... ELECTION—At a called meeting ... Christian Temperance Union yesterday ... the resignations of Mrs. Byron Card ... of Bank of Hope No. 1, and ... president, were accepted with ... that these ladies having served ... for the past three months. This ... necessary on account of the severe ill... Card and the pressing duties of Mrs ... the following ladies were elected to fill ... President Mrs. ... T. Rankin, vice... Mrs. Captain Williams, Mrs. Johnson ... chorister.

... THE DRY DOCK—The engines for the ... are in position, and have been ... fifteen of the twenty inches ... keel blocks having already been ... They have not yet been accepted but ... all be as soon as they can be worked ... The power of the engines ... 100 revolutions per minute ... not speeded ... only to forty ... the pumps pour forth a ... small river.

... LIBERTY—A habeas corpus was be... in the United States district court ... Woon, a celestial who is wanted in ... upon some criminal charge and was ... the other day got the ear of ... and through him applied for a ... The officer who made the ... the case by James Gleason ... prisoner was brought into court ... as the respondent asked ... one day to make his return.

... The George S Homer started ... Astoria to ... yesterday ... steam vessel that ever ... one of the few vessels that ... for New York, takes the first ... that ever went across ... a very valuable cargo ... the usual ... to his ordinary clearances ... worth about $121,000.

... HOLIDAYS—The windows of retail ... are resplendent with Christmas ... gorgeous description gold ... all but can attract the eye ... who have money to spend ... from ... far into the night shows where ... bookkeepers are laboring ... order for the approaching New Year.

... OF ... —The first Japanese pear ... raised in this city were plucked by ... his garden a day or two since ... the size of a large plum and shaped ... excellent ... flavor ... Quite a ... were put out here, but nearly all ... the fruit is worthy of ... the trees.

... ESCAPE PUNISHMENT—It appears as if ... outrage committed on board the ... at Astoria ... divers ... without punishment. The ... to have been ... named by ... contemplated ... whether it can be strained to cover ...

... LODGE ORGANIZED—Will C King ... Creek, Douglas county, December ... organized a lodge of Good ... members. On the 7th and 8th ... and organized a lodge with ... W. C. T. ... impaired health ... withdraw all ... her engagements ...

THE CITY COUNCIL.

A Practical Plan for Street Cleaning Introduced.

THREE PROPOSITIONS TO RAISE THE LEVEE.

Stone Cross Walks for Front, First and Second Streets—New Hose Company Authorized —Franchise Accepted.

The city council met in adjourned regular session last night. For the first time the new council chamber was used. It is a fairly cheerful looking apartment, well lighted, and while the lobby is small there ... room for the council ... officers and reporters. Mayor Chapman presided and all members were present. Following is an epitome of the proceedings:

PETITIONS, COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

From B ... McCauley resigning as clerk of the chief of police accepted.

From Bays & Co. contractors for Ninth and Eleventh street asking extension of time in which to complete contracts referred to committee on streets.

From V. D. ... asking extension until May 1884 of franchise granted to Multnomah ... company for a street railway on Morrison, Sixth and North ... same reference.

From Gunbert & Gerdon asking permission to erect a lamp post in front of No. 63 North First street, same reference.

From M. E. ... and others asking for a lamp corner of Fourth ... street ... Granted.

From the board of fire commissioners asking authority to organize an additional hose company to be ... in connection with the fire hydrants. Passed ...

From James Johnston asking thirty days extension of time on Lincoln street ... Granted.

From several Chinese firms asking the usual privilege of burning fireworks on Chinese New Years, commencing January 16. Placed on file.

From Lowe Fri... and others asking for a street lamp at Seventh and Grant. Granted.

From A. F. S... superintendent ... reply ... an inquiry of the ... relative to the price ... of ... the ... Sears ... Cottier ... Sacramento and Napa California ... result ... postponed.

From A. C. Cunningham and C. B. Talbot of the Bull Run Water Company, the Crystal Springs Water Company ... terms of franchise recently granted. Referred to committee on judiciary.

From Multnomah Street Railway Company accepting terms of franchise. Placed on file.

From J. H. Jones & Co. asking a lease of the public levee for ten years at an annual rental of $1,000. Referred to committee on landings and wharves.

From Chas. Cardwell for a like lease at $1000 a year. Same reference.

From F. E. Jones, proposing to improve the public levee by building a substantial bulkhead at the wharf line and by covering the levee with gravel and sand to the depth of one foot, the improvement to cost $10,000 and the consideration to be six years lease of the levee. Same reference.

From George W. Hoyt and others asking for a street lamp corner Fifteenth and I streets. Granted.

REMONSTRANCES.

From J. D. Sutherland and others against the proposed sewer in Mill street from West Park to Ninth, referred to committee on streets.

From O. P. Bacon and others representing 1650 feet against the improvement of Taylor street, same reference.

From N. Cohen and others against the improvement of Stark street, same reference.

From Northern Pacific Terminal Company and others against the improvement of North Eighth street, same reference.

From A. P. Malholt and others against the improvement of North Twelfth street, same reference.

From M. A. Hern and others against the improvement of E ... street, same reference.

From M. Fried and others against the improvement of North Thirteenth street from B to S, same reference.

From P. ... and others against the proposed change of grade of South Front street, same reference.

From L. B. Cole and others against granting a street railway franchise on Star... street to J. W. Cook and J. Ordway, same reference.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

From the committee on streets recommending that the petition of ... Davenport be referred to the committee on judiciary. Adopted.

From the committee on streets, to whom was referred the proposed amendment of several franchises, reporting as follows:

In the matter of the Crystal Springs Water Company recommending that their ... be amended so as to require them to expend not less than $10,000 within the limits of the city in construction of their works and laying their mains. Referred to committee on judiciary.

The same amendment was recommended in the franchise to A. C. Cunningham and associates. Same reference.

In the matter of the new gas company an amendment was recommended requiring the expenditure of not less than $ ... the first year in construction of works and laying mains. Same reference.

OTHER MATTERS.

From the committee on health and police, upon the recent report of Chief of Police Watkinds. They report that they examined the police records and found them very unsatisfactory up to the time W. H. Watkinds took charge. There is an entire ... of fines from February 28 to July 1 ... after entry in the record of ... in April 1881 and ... February 11 1882. None have been received ... The complaint book in which ... arrests are made ... are entered ... sixty ... property records ... out ... much mutilated. Chief Watkinds ... show marked contrast, and are kept ... If a competent clerk were employed ... the records could be restored ... is taken up in the report with ... to counterclaims ... Passing a tr... which was found ... since the remainder of the report is devoted to long affidavits by Lemuel ... Singleton, George H. Vard, W. H. Watkinds and others relative to the charges against the ... which develop nothing more than has been published and more since related by that paper.

The report was referred to the committee on judiciary.

COUNCILMAN ADAMS EXONERATED.

The special investigating committee made the following report, which was unanimously adopted.

We your committee to whom was referred the examination of a charge against Councilman W. H. Adams of having entered into an agreement with the ... firm to prevent adverse legislation on the part of the city, have the honor to report.

That we have made a thorough and searching investigation into the truth of said charge and have taken the testimony of all witnesses who could throw any light on the subject which testimony is herewith filed and to which we make reference, and we find as a conclusion that the charges are absolutely without merit, and that nothing has been discovered which can in any sense attach the character of conduct of Adams or reflect upon his integrity, and furthermore that Councilman Adams should be exonerated completely from any imputation of wrong doing in either act or intent. Respectfully submitted ... ALLEN, D. F. ... W. ... NDEN ... Committee.

OFFICERS' REPORTS.

From the city surveyor on the proposed extension of North Sixteenth street. Referred to committee on streets.

From the same officer on the proposed extension of E street. Same reference.

CLAIMS ORDERED PAID.

... Smith	$34 00	Frank Smith	$11 ...
N. P. ... M. Co	16 64	Jno. McDermot	19 ...
Smith Bros. & Co	1 46	Jas. Quigley	...
Thompson ... De ...		C. H. Dodd & Co	44 ...
Hart & Co	8 48	Joe Taylor	13 ...
Le ... & ...	18 60	D. W. Crandall	27 0
C. M. White	20 0	Wm. Beck & Son	5 0
W. ... land & Co	2 00	John Brown	1 ...
Geo. Harold	2 00	Kelly Dunn & Co	8 9
P. Landis	88 50	C. H. Whiler	...
Jas. Brus	5 26	John Barrett	15 ...
O. J. Harper	40 00	W. ... and Mills	...
Ashland & Dill	874 04	Alex. M. K...	...
T. W. Philbrick	11 75	L. Lewiston	...
Jo. A. Gouns...	... 00	T. H. ... & Co	1 2
H. I. Dar...	2 2	J. S. ...	52 2
Steward ...	7 5	Corbett Failing ... & Co	...
McKercher & ...	...	...	...
Thompson ...	... 76	... Hall	16 0
S. H. S...	34 50	L. I. Marcon	1 ...
G. W. Vollum	119 80	... & Rober...	...
J. J. Robinson	513 00	...	3 0
P. Riley	14 6 30	A. C. ... Walling	8 0
R. H. Lambon	37 8	... Hudson	...
A. F. Spencer	18 00	... wo... k	8 4
B. Linow	16 86	Dredge pay roll	164 ...

NEW ORDINANCE.

Declaring cost of improving Yamhill street from First to Front and making appropriation therefor. Passed.

Providing time and manner of improving ... intersection of Stark, Ninth and ... Tenth streets. Read twice.

Authorizing the fire commissioners to organize new hose company to be ... to connect on with street hydrants. Read twice.

Establishing the grades of Front and Madison streets. Read twice.

Declaring cost of improving M... street and making appropriation. Passed.

Declaring cost of improving ... street and making appropriation. Passed.

Authorizing appropriation of $4 ... for the ... of surveyor's instrument ... Passed.

Appropriating $2 ... for ... ... Passed.

Appropriating $120 out of ... general fund to repair ... bridges. Passed.

Providing time and manner ... improving ... street from Front to First ... two sand ... to commit ... on judiciary.

Providing time and manner ... putting stone walks on First street between ... and ... twice and referred to committee ...

Providing time and manner ... putting in stone cross walks on Front ... from Madison to ... on ... Morrison ... committee ... Read twice.

Fixing ... street ... Third and North Front street ... which will ... for the ... five feet on each side. Read ...

Appropriating ... for the ... street. Passed.

Appropriating $1120 out of the ... general fund for the ... Passed.

Providing time and manner of improving ... Salmon to ... Read twice ... street and ... property ...

Authorizing the ... to ... committee on ... barges ... cleaning streets ... planking sixteen ... over by ... of Belmont or Belgian block ... Read twice ... to committee ...

PRIVILEGES GRANTED.

Adopting report of the city surveyor on the extension of Thirteenth street. Passed.

Amending franchise of ... company ... so as to require them to expend $40,000 in their plant within the first year. Passed.

Declaring cost of improving ... street and North Seventh street and making appropriation. Passed.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were passed:

Giving notice of the proposed improvement of M... street from Twelfth to Thirteenth.

Appointing H. S. Aller, Peter Taylor and ... appraisers ... on the proposed widening of North ... street.

Giving notice of the proposed improvement of ... street from First to ...

Directing ... Council and ... police ... cause the ... repairs ... the city ... to be done by private contract ... services of ... laborers be utilized.

Directing the superintendent of streets to submit to the council at its next meeting a plan of sewerage for the city.

Giving notice of a change of grade of Front and South Front.

Calling attention of the mayor to the fact that a vacancy exists in the office of police captain and asking him to make an appointment at his earliest convenience.

Appointing Charles J. Christie clerk of the chief of police.

Authorizing the fire commissioners to organize a new hose company to be run in connection with the new fire hydrants.

Directing the city attorney to press the collection of judgments in favor of the city against Lazarus Besser ... bondsman.

Directing that the sessions of the committee appointed to investigate the actions of the old ... committee be public not private. This resolution was offered by Councilman Holman.

HOW PORTLAND IMPROVES

The King of Men Who Build Up a City—A Brilliant Blaze of Silverware—The St. Charles Restaurant—Its Magnificent Appointments.

This morning the St. Charles hotel restaurant will again be thrown open to the public. It has been closed for about a month past while being renovated and fitted by Mr. Thomas Guinean, who is now the proprietor. The fact that Mr. Guinean now owns and controls the restaurant connected with this popular house ... the people will ... last evening ... we were shown through his magnificently appointed dining rooms and will ... say that ... forty mountains ... The tables ... are ... articles of which ... granted ... the Guinean ... In quality this silverware is the very best money could buy and ... what a lavish hand Mr. Guinean has equipped the restaurant. ... elegant chairs ... present ... ornamented ... can be ... order ... having been ... ready ... The dining room counter is made from ... design ... constructed from ... and redwood and is a very handsome piece of furniture set off by a very beautiful bronze framed French plate mirror. The ... covering ... English ... which in ... in the dining ... very ... magnificent ... In the center of the ... is a large ... which will be appreciated by all. The ... ent ... leading from the hotel halls has been newly carpeted with a Brussels carpet of ... elegance and ... to the establishment. Between the dining room and kitchen is located the pantry on one side of which are rooms for the silverware and on the other pantry ... Next to this are the flour and sugar chests constructed with a double ... bottoms and sides which will discourage the most persistent rat or mouse. Passing on into the kitchen we find one of the most completely equipped culinary departments ever seen on the coast. Here Mr. Guinean has ... built ... his universal refrigerators—his own patent—which is the most complete and useful thing of the kind ever invented. It is so constructed that pipes carry off the warm air and other ... furnishes cold air ... Another interesting ... of the kitchen is a new kind of broiler, also the invention of Mr. Guinean, upon which forty different orders can be executed at once. It is ... from the main range and the best quality of charcoal is used for fuel. Opening from the kitchen is the large storeroom stocked generously with every conceivable article of provisions. He also has two large wine rooms stocked with an immense variety of his very best wines, liquors and cigars. His wines excel in quality that of any other house on the coast and we must confess our astonishment at the large stock both in his store room and wine rooms. However Mr. Guinean never does things by halves, as any one can see who visits this place. The restaurant will be run on the European plan at popular prices. The very best of everything procurable in this and the San Francisco markets will be furnished the ... In the culinary department will be artists of the highest merit. Mr. William ... formerly of the Palace is head steward, which guarantees a good service at table. Taken all in all we are safe in saying that the St. Charles restaurant is now the best appointed establishment in the Northwest.

AMUSEMENTS.

JOHN B. LANGRISHE—Entertainers in Colorado, Montana, Idaho and Washington territory along the route recently visited by Langrishe and his company praise his performances in high terms. Letters from the company state that they have had a very ... from ... with ... the ... good. They are ... perform at the Dalles tomorrow night and ... Saturday afternoon and evening, then ... Sunday ... arriving in Portland on Monday morning.

WARREN—Building improvements are ... extended in every direction at the north end of the city. Parties owning property along Johnson's creek are extending their improvements ... the creek ... rivulet ... torrent ... well to look ... for ... not get carried away by the first ... flood.

MASQUERADE BALL—The fifth annual grand masquerade ball of George Wright Post No. 1 G A R will take place at Turn Verein hall ... The proceeds are to be ... benefit of ... It is expected the ... will be a ... after ... to exclude all disreputable characters and the committee ... will ... one of the ... of the season.

THE HARBINGER OF TROUBLE—From a private letter received here yesterday it is learned that the ... between Bud Thompson and his victim grew out of the fact that Morgan ... used Thompson as being instrumental in the killing of Morgan's brother ... about one year ago. It seems to have been a case of murder as the victim was unarmed. Thompson ... Morgan was married to his brother's widow about six weeks ago.

EXPENSIVE DRINK—Joseph Tucker a lineal descendant of Old Dan ... he got drunk ... hauled in by the police yesterday on a charge of drunk and disorderly. Tucker has been boarding at the sailors home for some ... and ... When arrested he had about $50 on his person which was promptly garnisheed by Chaplain ... Tucker will likely find his drunk an expensive affair.

WILL OF GEO. W. BOYD—In the county court yesterday the will of Geo. W. Boyd was admitted to probate. He ... property in Pennsylvania ... his stepmother during her lifetime and at her death to go to his three sisters and their heirs ... Sister ... and Sister Hannah $200 each ... life insurance policy to Emily ... of Salem. All ... remaining personal property goes to the Good Samaritan hospital.

GORGEOUS ... —The western sky was lighted up last evening till about 6 o'clock by a rosy glow resembling that which often accompanies ... a ... It attracted general attention. It was probably caused by an aurora ... or some ...

Complaining and growling will never cure rheumatism but St. Jacobs Oil certainly will.

The Most Acceptable Christmas Gift ... at ... Lauthold ... First street ... Union block.

The latest ... dress goods ... at ... prices ...

BARGAINS IN PIANOS AND ORGANS. Having ... decided to give up the piano and organ business ... the ... stock ... pianos and organs at prices ... Five ... have ... hand ... large size ... Catalogue ... free. SIMON H. KRIS, ... First st.

Winter ... with Turin ... profession ... at ... Fisher ...

Preparatory to breaking through the walls I have determined to close the following goods until they are sold:

10 all wool Misses Cloaks ages 4 to 1...	$ 1 00
5 all wool imported Misses Cloaks	... 0
21 fur lined Circulars all wool tops	15 00
14 Silk plush Cloaks satin quilted	15 00
8 Surah Sevrelleux Circulars	25 00
5 all wool Dresses, handsomely trimmed	... 00

Also 150 yards carpets ... ... center table, and other articles ... everything new and to match the two stores ... Apply to H. B. Gilt the leader on the ... My ... and ... the building will be ... this journal on the 1st of January.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

DANDRUFF Is Removed by the Use of Cocaine ... hair ... growth ... Burnett's Flavoring Extracts are the best.

POND'S EXTRACT. Experience ... alleviates pain ... external ...

PRESSY BROS., DENTAL GRADUATES ... Stark ... street.

THE VIENNA COFFEE HOUSE. ... Washington street ... all Oysters in every style.

Fine Steel Engravings and ... at ... Morrison ...

HILLBORN & CO. Dealers in Wall Paper and Art Decorations ... Third ... Mason ... Temple.

BEST QUALITY CIGARS At Fisher's Havana ... Oak ...

HENRICHSEN & GREENBERG, 140 First St., Portland, Or.

Importers, Manufacturers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry,

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Watch Repairing and Jewelry of all kinds manufactured to order.

Orders from the interior carefully and promptly attended to.

Goods expressed on approval ...

HEALTHY—Vigorous, Sound, Hale, Salubrious, Healthful, Wholesome, Sanitary—VEGETARIAN.

OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER
PFUNDER'S
KIDNEY & LIVER REGULATOR.

REBATE CLAIMS.

As a great many of the readers of THE CHRONICLE are interested in the matter of the rebate on cigars and tobacco, we copy a statement of the amount of claims presented and allowed, etc. from the report of the commissioner of internal revenue for the fiscal year ending June 30 1883 which has just come to hand. ... all that is known about the matter so far it will be useless to ... internal revenue here with any inquiries in regard to rebate. As soon as anything further is learned it will be made known through the columns of THE CHRONICLE.

CLAIMS PRESENTED AND ALLOWED.

The following statement shows the number and amount of claims presented for rebate of taxes on tobacco, snuff, cigars and cigarettes under the provisions of section 4 of the act of March 3, 1883 and the condition of the claims:

Whole number of claims present		4 853
Amount of rebate claimed		$37 5...
Number of claims allowed and forwarded to fifth auditor		4 ...
Number of claims rejected		53
Number returned for amendment		074
Total		4 853
Amount of claims allowed and forwarded to fifth auditor		$3 ...
Amount of claims rejected		1 ... 45
Amount returned for amendment		199 ... 23
Total		... 97
Manufacturers claims ...		$1 ... 91
Dealers claims ...		3 5... 03
Total		... 97

OREGON.

Number of claims forwarded	482
Amount of claims forwarded	$4 ... 24
Number of claims allowed	480
Amount of claims allowed	$4 ... 14
Number of claims disallowed	2
Amount of claims disallowed	1...

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Number of claims forwarded	43
Amount of claims forwarded	$1 ... 83
Number of claims allowed	41
Amount of claims allowed	$14 ... 30
Number of claims disallowed	...
Amount of claims disallowed	... 55

BLUFF MENTION.

The ... order Sons of ... will give a ball D... 19.

Will Mr. Sylvester painter please call at this office this morning.

Argument upon the demurrer in the Willamette bridge case has been postponed until Monday next.

Chas. R. Rickard was yesterday appointed administrator of the estate of Susie Rob... deceased.

At St. Vincent's hospital there are now ... patients and of these thirty are victims of typhoid fever.

Al Dudley charged with seduction was held to answer before the grand jury yesterday in the sum of $500 bonds.

In the sale ... of Charles J. ... the city ... secured a very competent man.

Two hands ... now care for the Third street ... way ... yesterday from ... over ... from New York.

An order was made yesterday by County Judge Stearns to sell the personal property in the estate of George ... deceased at private sale.

Mrs. Lallon who resided for some time on Eighth street between F and G died at St. Vincent's hospital of cancer in the face and was buried yesterday.

The attachment upon Levi ... interest in the Stark street ... was satisfied by the payment of the ... into the sheriff's hands yesterday.

In the Bachman investigation before Referee Lamson yesterday Dan Holton testified that Joe ... man to ... $700 ... only two days before the failure was made public.

There were smiles and laughter and good ... about the sacred precincts of the grand jury room yesterday. The night before a ... was born to the wife of Henry Davenport, a member of the jury.

A rat ... meeting of the ... of Vancouver was announced ... to be held last evening at ... hall ... the passage of ... a suffrage bill. Mrs. A. S. Duniway of this city was announced as one of the speakers.

According to adjournment the state circuit court for Multnomah county should reopen this morning at 9 o'clock. The first case to come up ... the continuation of the hearing upon a motion for a new trial in the Woods Day ... breach of promise of marriage suit.

The entertainment entitled ... Evening ... Wonders ... by Prof. ... will be given ... this evening ... Saturday evening ... a large number of tickets having already been sold.

The salmon of the Columbia are so fat and oily ... make ... salmon having a tendency to fall to pieces ... the Sound ... into the ... of ... salmon for the ... market ... A lot came over yesterday.

... Washington ... Church ... Sunday ... Pine St.

CITY NOTES.

Go to Kelly's for oysters.

... every steamer at Keith's.

Christmas tree candles and ... at ... Multnomah ...

... Barb ... at ... First and ...

Choice ... wines ... and liquors at ... First and ...

... Front ...

For the best ... at ... J. F. Stuart ... Ainsworth block.

... First and Ash ...

... Ladies ... prices ...

... Meyers ... Diamonds ... Patrick ... First ...

Kalseo ... pastry ... First ...

GARRISON'S SEWING MACHINE STORE, ... First street, Portland, Or.—General agent for the ... Household ... all hand and sewing machines ... machines ...

$50 00 ... valuable ... New Market block ...

THE COURTS.

WEDNESDAY, Dec 12.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

Dart & West vs. Home Insurance Company and Phoenix Insurance Company—Motion to strike out answer allowed and defendant allowed ... days to file a new answer.

Wells Fargo & Co vs O. R. & N. Co.—Court heard a motion for ... to show cause why the defendant should not be held in contempt ...

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

In the case of Doo Woon a Chinaman, corpus in court ... allowed till ... to make his return.

COUNTY COURT—STEARNS, J.

Will of George W. Boyd admitted to probate.

Estate of George H. Perry, deceased. Order allowing administratrix to sell personal property at private sale ...

Estate of Susie E. ... deceased—Charles E. Rickard appointed administrator with bonds at $1200.

POLICE COURT—MORELAND, J.

Ida Thornton—Larceny; discharged.

W. J. Poole, ... Gallagher, M. J. Kelley, John Williams, J. C. ... —Drunk and disorderly; fined or forfeited $10 each.

Mike Connolly—Sleeping on the sidewalk; fined $10.

John Allard—Larceny ...

Al ... —Sunday ...

O. S. Ashed ... fined $10.

A Second ... Atlanta ...

... tickets ...

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Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test short weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO. 106 Wall St., N. Y. W. M. P. ... & CO. ... Agents, S. F.

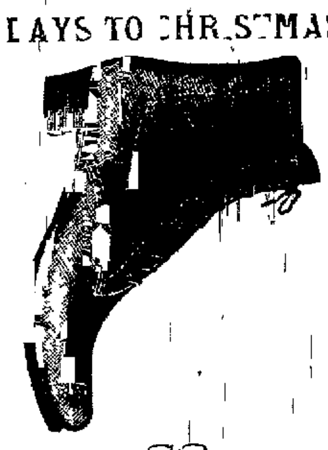
AN OPEN SECRET AMONG THE LADIES

The brilliant, fascinating tints of Complexion for which ladies strive are only art. ... ficial, and all who will take the trouble may secure them. These ... use of Hagan's Magnolia Balm—a delicate, harmless and always ... article. Sold by all Druggists.

The Magnolia Balm conceals every blemish, removes Sallowness, Tan, Redness, Eruptions, all evidences of excitement and every imperfection.

Its effects are immediate and so natural that no human being can detect its application.

13 DAYS TO CHRISTMAS



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Eastern Prices!

...

Leading Boot and Shoe House OF PORTLAND.

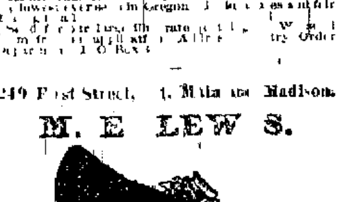
This is no assumption. We are not working ... for BOOTS AND SHOES ... we continue ... who have brains, we ... be benefited thereby.

We have the Largest Stock and the Largest Trade in Portland.

A walk through this ... establishment will ... the Leading Boot and Shoe House of the North ... Home ... lowest ... Oregon ... Order ... P. O. Box ...

249 First Street, bet. Main and Madison.

M. E. LEWIS.

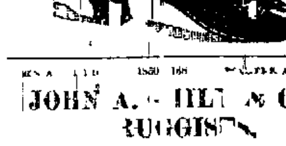


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DR ... O. SMITH, DENTIST, S. E. Cor. Second and Washington. (Up stairs.)

Clothing Sale!

... Tuesday, December 3 ... January 1, 1884. ...

... Department ... Remember this ...

GIFT SALE OR LOTTERY SCHEME.

GENERAL BONAFIDE SALE,

NEW AND DESIRABLE GOODS.

GRAND BENEFIT IN LOW PRICES.

MARKED DOWN PRICES

... NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

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The Leading Clothier, Tailor and Hatter of Oregon,

FIRST AND ALDER STREETS.

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

LOUIS EPPINGER'S RESTAURANT

Corner First and ... streets

PORTLAND

... appointments ... in the United States ... first-class ... the choicest ... delicacies of the market ... splendid dining-room ... private rooms for ladies.

CAMPI'S RESTAURANT, ... First st., bet. Stark and ...

REGULAR FRENCH DINNER, 50 CTS. Meals Served to Order—Outside. PRIVATE ROOMS FOR LADIES ...

BROWN'S RESTAURANT. 33 and 35 Pine street.

THE LICK HOUSE, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

THIS SPACIOUS AND WELL ARRANGED ... nearly a block on Montgomery ... rates.

The handsomest Dining Room in the world ...

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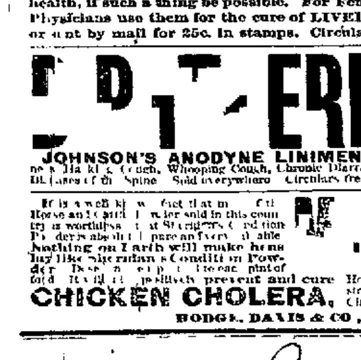
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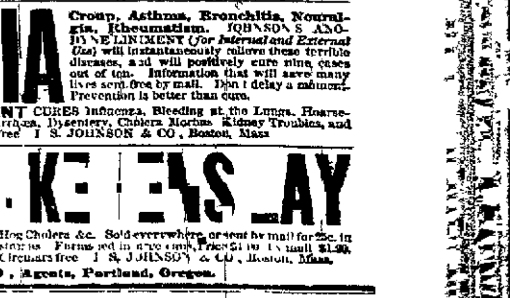
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Western Oregon.

A postoffice will shortly be established at Drewsey, on the Malheur reservation. This will be a great convenience to the settlers.

On Monday the city election came off at Newport, Yaquina bay, and resulted as follows: President, C. H. Williams; recorder, W. S. Hufford; treasurer, M. M. Davis; marshal, A. Landis; councilmen—Sam Case, O. Duncan, Wm. Hammond and John W. Brandt.

Union county *Record*: The election for city officers in Union last Monday was quite spirited, especially in the contest for the office of marshal, there being three candidates—Vince Reeves, Wat. Salisbury and A. J. Goodbrod. Mr. Goodbrod was the successful candidate, and in him our neighbors will find an efficient officer. A. O. Craig was elected mayor, A. K. Jones recorder, J. D. Carroll treasurer, and S. A. Pursel, J. L. Elliott, M. F. Bloch and Jas. Wright councilmen.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Mr. Arnold made $2,000 by his three lectures in Boston.

Mr. Gresham, the postmaster-general, denies a rumor that he is about to resign.

Henry Blackburn, English critic and author, is lecturing in Boston on contemporary art.

Mr. Irving will pass Christmas week in Baltimore, where Mr. Wyndham is booked to appear during the same period.

Mr. Capel intends to linger as the guest of Mrs. Turnure in New York until after Christmas. He will lecture there thrice, his topics being "Marriage," "Divorce," and "Family."

George Washington's autograph, at the sale of the library of the late Joseph J. Cooke, of Providence, R. I., fetched $12; that of Roger Williams, $40; Thomas Jefferson's, $4; and that of George III, $7.

Mr. Arthur has given up his residence at the Soldiers' Home, and is fully installed in the White house for the winter. It is expected that Mrs. McElroy and other relatives will spend the holiday season at the White house.

Mr. Fair of Nevada is put down as the wealthiest man in the United States senate. His riches aggregate $18,000,000; those of Mr. Miller of California, $4,000,000; Mr. Sawyer of Wisconsin, $7,000,000; Mr. Brown of Georgia, $6,000,000; Mr. Palmer of Michigan, $7,500,000; Mr. Sabin of Minnesota, $2,000,000, and so on.

Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes' birthplace, the "old Holmes house," at Cambridge, is to go, the Harvard university buildings crowding it out of existence. It was built in the year 1630 or thereabout. One of its owners, Jonathan Hastings, who lived in it from 1737 to 1782, is said to have originated the word "Yankee," using it to express excellence, speaking of a "Yankee good horse" or "Yankee good cider," and the students are supposed to have disseminated the word.

The Pay of Singers.

Milwaukee Sentinel.

Speaking of singers and actors, it is highly discreditable that they should be compelled to perform for such miserable pittances. Patti gets only $5500 a night for forty nights—$2[illegible] in all—which her expenses increase the amount to about $4[illegible] for this period of forty nights. Nilsson receives only some $3000 a night, while Del Puente, Campanini and the rest have to struggle along with a few thousands a night. Irving's income, also, is not above $[illegible] a night. It is a satisfaction to know, however, that the effete monarchies of Europe do no better for them. In Germany and Russia, where the peasant is ground down to the most abject poverty that the nobility may squander millions on grand opera, the singers make but little if any more than they do in this free country. The American rough sees his opportunity to go to the opera at any price—if it is necessary to sell his baby for the $10 or $12 necessary to secure a reserved seat, he will do it. He will go to the opera if he has to settle with his creditors for twenty cents on the dollar. Yet with all this sacrifice, singers and actors and actresses leave the shores of America with only some quarter million each as the result of their few weeks of singing or acting or talking.

The False Prophet of the Democracy.

New York World.

When Hancock was nominated at Cincinnati the distinguished Colonel McClure telegraphed to his paper that the nomination meant a democratic president and a democratic government in all its departments. This is mentioned in connection with the fact that the same colonel has allowed himself to secure destruction in the elevation of Carlisle. The colonel should [illegible] immediate service in the army of the False Prophet.

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DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Arrived—Sh. Ernest [illegible], Hong Kong; Br. sh. Star of Bengal, [illegible]; Br. sh. Candida, Sydney; Br. [illegible] Pacoma, [illegible]; North Bend, Grays Harbor; bg. J. D. Spreckles, [illegible]. Sailed—Str. Queen of the Pacific, Portland; Henry Failing, Liverpool. Cleared—Br. [illegible] M. E. Watson, Sydney.

ASTORIA, Dec. 12.—Cloudy; wind west. The George S. Homer cleared for New York yesterday and left out at 10:40 A. M.; str. State of California arrived [illegible] 10 [illegible] M. and left out 11:40 A. M. The str. [illegible] has gone to Knappton. 6 P. M.—Nothing moving; weather clear and calm.

CAPE HANCOCK, Dec. 12.—Crossed out—Sw. bk. Virgo, Br. bk. Glenpera and Br. sh. Lake Erie at 11 A. M. for Queenstown; sch. [illegible] 12:30, and State of California 1:30 P. M. At 4 P. M. bar moderate; clear; wind northwest; velocity [illegible] miles.

FOREIGN PORTS.

ASPINWALL, Dec. 9.—Arrived—Str. Acapulco, New York.

[illegible], Dec. 10.—Sailed—Str. Colima, San Francisco.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 11.—Arrived—Br. sh. [illegible], San Francisco.

SALEM NOTES.

FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.

SALEM, Dec. 12.

A little son of Dr. [illegible] Chase is lying dangerously ill with the scarlet fever.

Mrs. S. [illegible] Jessup returned home from California yesterday after a long absence.

A series of revival meetings are in progress at the Presbyterian church in this city.

Mrs. John W. Crawford will leave the eastern states for home on Wednesday next.

[illegible]'s grocery store commenced its migration yesterday from Piety hill to its new location, just west of the Reed hotel.

Messrs. John Knight and Fred [illegible] have formed a partnership for the purpose of carrying on the business of general blacksmithing in this city.

E. H. Hendricks, city editor of the *Daily Statesman*, returned home yesterday from a trip to eastern Oregon, much improved in his general health.

A special meeting of the Salem board of trade will be held on Thursday evening for the purpose of [illegible] reports from various standing committees.

The ladies of the Christian church are already making arrangements for a very unique entertainment to be given on Christmas night. It promises to be a pleasant affair.

The ladies of the Episcopal church have started in on their annual Christmas decorations, in which laudable enterprise it is but just to remark that, as usual, the genial J. Sellwood takes the lead.

The large mercantile establishment of George E. Aiken, recently deceased, at Silverton, has been closed for the present. His energetic business enterprise will be missed [illegible] at [illegible].

Master George Collins, son of Warden Collins of the penitentiary, fell from the rings at the university gymnasium yesterday and broke his arm near the shoulder. Drs. [illegible] and [illegible] reset the fractured limb, and the boy is doing as well as could be expected.

Harriet Martineau's Home.

Miss Susan B. Anthony recently visited in England the former home of Harriet Martineau, which now is occupied by a Quaker family. [illegible] with them. Friends, she says, [illegible] the drawing-room where Emerson, Garrison, Charlotte Bronte and many other [illegible] came to honor Harriet Martineau [illegible] many noble [illegible] the chamber where she had slept, [illegible] the beautiful lands [illegible]. In the kitchen [illegible] dinner table and chairs stand there as she left [illegible] white black and [illegible] faithful [illegible]

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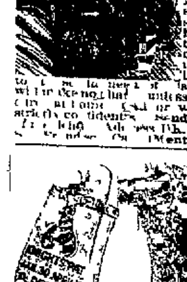
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